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The Census Employes

No Examination of Those Seeking Situations

OUTSIDE OF CIVIL SERVICE.

The Secretary of the Interior Alone Has the Power to Select Whom He Pleases. Several Thousand Positions to Be Filled In the Near Future—Other Washington Dispatches.

WASHINGTON, May 7.—The census office and its employes do not come within the scope of the civil service law. This was decided yesterday by Assistant Attorney General Shields, of the interior department, to whom the question had been referred by Secretary Noble. This is the first important decision of Mr. Shields. He bases his decision upon the law of congress itself, reviving the census bureau.

It says: "All examinations for appointment to promotion under this act shall be in the discretion of the secretary of the interior."

This is held to vest in the secretary of the interior the right to decide whether an examination for appointment or promotion in the census bureau are necessary, and if so how they shall be made. When in full operation there will be 1,500 clerks in the census office, besides the enumerators in the field.

Pension Cases Decided.

WASHINGTON, May 7.—Assistant Secretary Bussey made several decisions in pension cases yesterday. In the case of Alonzo F. Wescott, whose claim was rejected, he directs a further examination, because several important witnesses were not examined.

G. W. Blake is allowed an increase of pension, Mr. Bussey overruling the pension office.

Michael Quirk is given a pension of $30 per month, though rated by the pension office at $21. The evidence in this case, Mr. Bussey thinks, establishes total disability of left arm and not partial as held by the pension office.

Cleveland's Horses Sold.

WASHINGTON, May 7.—Ex-President Cleveland's famous "seal brown" horses and the rest of his stable equipment were sold at auction yesterday. Poor prices were realized. The seal browns, which are said to have cost $600 or $700, brought $141 each. Secretary Blaine left a commission on the Victoria, but his bid was not high enough. It went with the horses to J. E. Beall for $485. Its cost was $1,000. A landau which cost $1,400 went for $650, and a brougham for $450. The silver-mounted harness with the monogram "G. C." sold for $62.50. These were the principal articles sold.

The Permission Granted.

WASHINGTON, May 7.—The department of state has been informed by our minister at Paris under date of the 24th ult. that the French government in reply to a request made by him under instructions from the department, had cheerfully granted permission for the thirty marines sent out for that purpose to guard the American section of the exhibition, and that they had been properly cared for and quartered at the military school opposite the exhibition grounds.

Looking After the Collectors.

WASHINGTON, May 7.—The treasury department has issued a circular to collectors of customs requesting them to furnish, at the earliest practical moment, a statement showing the station of each and every officer and employe in the customs service in their districts. Hereafter each collector will be required to transmit to the department on the first of each month a statement of all changes that have occurred in his force during the preceding month.

No Attempt to Settle the Outlet.

WASHINGTON, May 7.—The war department has received the following dispatch, dated Sunday, from Gen. Crook at Chicago: "Gen. Merritt telegraphs that Col. Wade reports all quiet in Oklahoma territory, and that scouts discovered no attempt to settle in Cherokee outlet."

Bunker Hill Anniversary.

WASHINGTON, May 7.—The commandant of the Boston navy yard has been directed to fire a National salute at sunrise on June 17, the anniversary of the battle of Bunker Hill, and should he consider it proper and expedient, to direct the marines to take part in the parade.

Nothing but Paper Goes.

WASHINGTON, May 7.—The treasury department has requested the secretary of state to direct the consul general at Vienna to refuse invoices made out in silver florins, and to accept only paper currency of that amount.

Washington Notes.

The president has recognized Joseph Tasigi as Counsel Gen. of Turkey at Boston, Mass.

The commandant of the Norfolk navy yard has reported to the navy department that the Monitor Puritan has been undocked and is at the yard.

A. E. Rosenbush, of North Carolina, has been appointed a swamp land agent, and Joseph Dennison, of Illinois, a timber agent in the interior department.

The secretary of state is informed that Peru will send a delegate to the conference of American states which meet at Washington on the 4th October next.

Chief Justice Fuller has purchased the residence of Judge Wylie, which, taken together, house and grounds, is one of the finest residences in the city. He will move into his new home early in the fall.

The Boat Overturned.

BOSTON, May 7.—Yesterday, by the overturning of a sail boat in Horn Pond Woburn, Webster Potter, aged 21, living in Norfolk, was drowned. Two companions escaped with their lives, being rescued by a steam launch.

Cleveland's Law Partner Ill.

NEW YORK, May 7.—Lyman K. Bass, the law partner of ex-President Cleveland, rested quietly last night. His condition is unchanged to-day, and he is very low,

FORTUNATE ESCAPE.

A Terrific Boiler Explosion but Fortunately no One is Killed.

MANCHESTER, N. H., May 7.—A boiler explosion occurred at Lowell's iron foundry and machine shop, Sunday, which was heard in all parts of the city. The explosion was a terrific one totally demolishing the building in which it took place. The building was brick three stories high, forty feet long and fifty feet wide. The boiler was sixteen feet in length and fifty-horse power, and was inclosed in brick, being known as a hog nose boiler. The part of the boiler that gave way was the back, a section of which was blown through the wall in the rear of the boiler. A second piece was shot through the roof into the air and came down through the roof of the P. C. Forsyth Machine company's foundry.

Charles Ouimette, the engineer was standing in front of the boiler was knocked insensible but sustained no serious injury. Three other persons were about the building at the time, but all escaped injury. Had the explosion occurred on a week day, the loss of life would have been very large, as a big force of men are employed at the shops. The loss will be heavy.

BARNUM'S VACANT CHAIR.

The Democrats Looking for a Successor to Their Deceased Chairman.

WASHINGTON, May 7.—Some of the speculation indulged in here as to Mr. Barnum's successor rules out both Mr. Gorman and W. L. Scott, on the ground that neither is sufficiently influential in the pivotal states, New York, New Jersey and Connecticut. Mr. Gorman, moreover, was not in sympathy with the last Democratic National platform, and the point is made that being at heart a Randall man, he would use his place as chairman of the National committee to aid the enemies of tariff reform within his party.

Herman Oelrichs, of New York, is spoken of here for the place. He is a young man of large means and captivating, personal address, who likes politics and has shown decided talent for the game. His friends here say his knowledge of military affairs and his cordial affiliation with the Democratic leaders of the state could insure great success to his services as chairman.

NOT A PAUPER.

An Heir to a Large Fortune Dies in a Baltimore Hospital.

BALTIMORE, May 7.—A man named Andrew Mitchell died at the marine hospital yesterday. Before he died he stated to Father Bartlett who attended him that he had lived in New Haven, Conn., and that his life had been one of trouble and vicissitude. When Father Bartlett suggested to him that he should communicate with relatives in New Haven, Mitchell said that they did not want to have anything to do with him.

Communication with New Haven by telegraph revealed to Father Bartlett that the man was heir to a large fortune, coming from an uncle recently deceased. The authorities were about to bury Mitchell in potter's field, but the confraternity of St. Vincent Depaul interfered and gave him Christian burial.

Everything Now Quiet.

NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J., May 7.—The funeral of George Kessinger, who was shot and killed in Saturday night's riot at Sayreville, took place at Washington, N. J., yesterday, and was attended by hundreds of people. The state chancellor has granted an injunction restraining the Raritan River Railroad company from proceeding with track laying on the Furman brick yard property, and the company's cars have been withdrawn from the ground. The sheriff is on hand with a posse of over fifty deputies, and, although there is still great excitement among the brick yard and railroad employes, it is not thought rioting will be renewed. The coroner's inquest in the case will be held on the 13th inst.

An Entire Family Drowned.

WHEELING, W. Va., May 7.—The family of P. B. Harr, living in a thinly settled district near Braxton, this state, was totally exterminated Sunday by drowning. Harr, his wife and two children started out to visit a neighbor. They had to cross a mountain stream which was swollen out its banks. Harr foolishly attempted to cross it in a canoe. The boat capsized and all hands thrown in the stream. Mrs. Harr and one of the children sank immediately, and Harr, who seized the other child after struggling in the water for some time, was swept away before help could reach him. The bodies have not been recovered.

Boy Charged With Stealing.

WABASH, Ind., May 7.—The sheriff returned yesterday afternoon from Roanoke, Hunrington county, having in charge Jordan Rhodes, a lad of 12 years, who is under sentence at the state reform school, at Plainfield. Sunday the boy slipped away from the jailer here and went east on a Wabash train. At Roanoke he was given lodging in a private family, from whom he stole a quantity of jewelry and other valuables. Rhodes was captured yesterday forenoon.

A Fight at a Christening.

ALTOONA, Pa., May 7.—A special dispatch to the Tribune from Philadelphia, Center county, reports a fight at a Hungarian christening near Houtsdale last night. One man Joseph Teeser, was killed. Several severely injured. Seven persons have been lodged in jail at Clearfield. Two men charged with Teesers murder made their escape.

Minister Ryan.

CHICAGO, May 7.—Hon. Thomas Ryan, the newly appointed minister to Mexico, is at the Grand Pacific. He is just returning from Washington, and will leave for his home in Topeka, Kas., to-morrow night. Monday he will start for the City of Mexico, arriving there Saturday night.

Charged With Embezzlement.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., May 7.—Lincoln Curtis, chief salesman for Congdon & Aylesworth, wholesale boot and shoe dealers, has been arrested charged with embezzling $12,000 in small sums, his operations extending over several years. His examination was fixed for May 14.

The Charleston Ready to Sail.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 7.—The cruiser Charleston is expected to leave to-morrow for Santa Barbara channel, where the trial trial trip will be made.

Clickings of the Cable

Difference Between a Kingdom and a Republic.

THE POWER OF THE QUEEN.

She Calls Her Ambassador from the French Capital on Account of the Paris Exposition—Will the Show Prove a Failure?—Other Foreign News.

LONDON, May 7.—It transpires that Lord Lytton, the British ambassador to France, was really desirous of remaining in Paris to witness the opening of the exposition and plainly intimated his wish to the foreign office. The queen, however, commanded that his lordship should withdraw from the French capital, at the same time informing Salisbury that it would never do for a minister of a royal house to participate in a ceremony designed to commemorate the overthrow of royalty.

The Tory press adopt a similar view in their comments upon the opening of the exhibition. They profess to forgive the Revolutionists for their rebellious acts, but do not condone their excesses, nor do they admit the benefits of the republican form of government which is the ultimate result of that struggle. On the whole the Conservative press can see no reason for the exposition, neither can they bring themselves to the belief that it will be otherwise than a miserable failure.

The Great Exhibition Open.

PARIS, May 7.—The fetes in celebration of the opening of the exposition were carried out according to program last night. The Eiffel tower, the central dome of the exhibition building, and the grounds surrounding the buildings were splendidly illuminated, and in all parts of the city were to be seen evidences of the enthusiasm with which the people regard the great fair and their sympathy with the institutions whose application to the government of France the exposition commemorate. On the Seine a magnificent marine display was given, embracing every conceivable kind of craft which the depth of water would permit to float. The display extended from St. Louis island to Grenelle. Each vessel carried lights of various colors, and the bridges and the entire stretch of dock front were ablaze with lights, colored fires, etc.

The display of fireworks which took place at the different points, at the Point Neufa, at Greenville, and in the garden of the tulleries, was fully equal to anything of the kind ever seen in Paris. One of the pieces represented the design of a monument in commemoration of the revolution of 1789. While the venitian fete was in progress on the Seine, thousands of variegated Bengal lights were set off from different parts of the Eiffel tower, disclosing that structure to the view of the whole city and its environs. The cascade of the trocadero and all the fontains on the exhibition grounds were also illuminated. Shortly after nightfall, a monster torchlight procession embracing 15,000 mounted and infantry on foot, most of the musical societies of Paris, both vocal and instrumental, which numerous brass bands, drum corps, etc., started from the Trocadero palace, crossed the Jena bridge, and marched into the Central Garden of the exposition grounds amid most enthusiastic cheering. The number of gas jets blazing in the grounds last night was upwards of 100,000.

The President's Welcome.

PARIS, May 7.—In his address on the occasion of the opening of the exposition yesterday, Premier Tirade declared that the exposition was a proof that the people of France still preserved all the qualities for which they had been noted. In spite of the acuteness of the economical crisis they had been able to collect a splendid array of exhibits. Although every government did not officially take part in the work, most of them generously seconded the efforts of private individuals. To the strangers now in Paris, he said, the country extended a fraternal greeting.

A Royal Meeting.

LONDON, May 7.—An envoy of ex-Queen Natalie of Servia, has arrived at Yalta to arrange with the Servian regency for a meeting of the exiled queen and her son, King Alexander, at the castle of Ivanke. The youthful king is said to be quite as anxious for the meeting as his mother, and it is known that M. Ristics is not adverse to it. The probabilities are, therefore, that no opposition will be made to the plan and that the meeting will take place at an early date, resulting in the return of Natalie to Belgrade.

Pilgrims Assaulted.

LONDON, May 7.—A railroad train having on board 800 pilgrims to Rome was assaulted by a tremendous crowd at Trieste yesterday, and bombarded with stones. The train hurriedly left the station to escape the showers of missiles, but was attacked in similar fashion at several other stations. Twenty-four persons were more or less severely injured by stones and broken glass, and the railroad carriages were almost completely wrecked.

Foreign Notes.

The gambling establishment of Monte Carlo cleared $3,000,000 and scored sixteen suicides last year.

The soap works of Messrs. David and William Gibbs in Hanover Court, were burned yesterday. Loss, £100,000.

Capt. Wissman's force, 900 strong, has arrived at Bogoyma, and active hostilities with the natives at that place are imminent.

Director Hentsch, of the Comptoir d'Escompte, was taken before a magistrate at Paris Sunday, and was admitted to bail in the sum of $200,000.

Archbishop Walsh has written a letter urging the application to all Ireland of the plan of settlement adopted on the Vandeleur estate. The London Times opposes the suggestion.

A Radical banquet was held at Jerni, Paris, last night, to celebrate the centenary of the French revolution of 1789. The affair ended in a street riot, in which many persons were injured.

The strike of the miners in Westphalia is rapidly increasing. A serious riot occurred at Gelsenkircher yesterday, in which one miner was killed and a large number of men, including several of the police, were injured.

The British government has decided to take a division on the question of the second reading of the sugar bounty bill, but in view of the uncertainty as to the result, has wisely concluded not to treat the matter as a question of confidence.

The Berlin press are making merry over the resumption by the King of Holland of his sovereign duties and the collapse of the Duke of Nassau's regency. It is asserted that the aged monarch is hourly in danger of suffering a relapse, and his restoration is regarded as an insult to Duke Adolph.

FOREST FIRES.

Rain Somewhat Checks the Conflagration in Minnesota.

DULUTH, Minn., May 7.—Rain has checked the forest fires to some extent. A heavy continuous rain-storm is needed. Every incoming train reports a fresh list of damages, and the total will probably reach over $1,000,000. On both sides of Pike Lake station, even during a rain-storm, the flames fanned themselves into fury, and the tall pine trees fell and shriveled up like matches.

For miles this side of Ashland the forests are one sheet of blazing fire. West of Northern Pacific Junction the fire has done a great deal of damage, completely cleaning out the timber from some localities and destroying thousands of ties and poles and hundreds of cords of wood. For miles this side of Hinckey, on the St. Paul and Duluth road, during the night the track was as light as day.

Conflagration at Winnipeg.

WINNIPEG, Man., May 7.—Fire yesterday destroyed the following places: Bell Brothers' grocery, C. A. Barkerville's hardware establishment; M. E. Parmenter, stationery; Nickel-Plate hotel and M. Ropstein's auction rooms; M. Anderson, provision house; R. Lyons, boots and shoots; Jewish synagogue, and the Brooklyn hotel. Ed. McKeown, a well known sporting man, ran the Nickel-Plate hotel. He loses everything, his insurance policies having expired May 1.

The losses are: Freeman block $8,000, insurance $6,000; Nickel-Plate hotel $2,000, insurance $1,000; Baskersville & Company $9,000, insurance $4,000; Bell Brothers $6,000, insurance $4,000; Simon Ripseln $2,000, no insurance; Mrs Parmenter $4,000, insurance light. Other small losses bring the total up to $35,000.

Ice Houses Burned.

LAPORTE, Ind., May 7.—A nest of sixteen ice houses, saw mill and tool houses, owned by the Washington Ice company, of Chicago, and located on Stone lake, near this city, were destroyed by fire Sunday morning; also twenty Lake Shore freight cars that were on a siding between the buildings. The fire originated in the tool house, and a quantity of explosives stored in the building exploded with terrific force, and the burning fire brands were scattered over the adjacent ice houses.

Barn and Five Horses Burned.

NEW BREMEN, O., May 7.—A large barn belonging to J. Haverkamp, a wealthy farmer living six miles east of here, was entirely consumed by fire, together with its contents, comprising five valuable horses, numerous heads of cattle, and all of his agricultural implements. Loss about $4,000; insurance $1,200.

Thirty Dwellings.

NEW ORLEANS, May 7.—Thirty small dwellings have been burned in the square bounded by Juliet, Locust, Cypress and Magnolia streets. The loss is estimated at $40,000, mostly insured in local companies.

Steam Saw Mill Burned.

PORTLAND, Me., May 7.—A private dispatch received here last night announces the burning of the steam saw mill at Upper Bartlett, N. H., owned by H. N. Jose, of this city. Loss, $20,000; insured for $6,000.

EITHER DRUNK OR CRAZY.

A Watchman Sets Fire to a Paper Mill Just to See It Burn.

WATERTOWN, N. Y., May 7.—Shortly after 1 o'clock yesterday morning fire was discovered in four different places in the Ontario paper mill, one of the largest mills in northern New York, but owing to the excellent appliances for extinguishing fires in the building the mill was not destroyed. James Warden, the watchman, is suspected of having kindled the fires as he was the only one in the building last night with the exception of the fireman. The fires were set in various parts of the building besides in a dwelling which stood near, and which was burned to the ground.

As soon as the fires were started Warden ran to a house near by and dragged a woman down the steps, telling her to come out and look at the big fire. He then went inside the mill and began to break windows, though by that time the fires were under control. He was stopped by a citizen. It is not yet known whether he was drunk or crazy. He is now under arrest. The mill was only recently completed at a cost of about $300,000.

An Old Man's Reckless Use of a Pistol.

HARRODSBURG, Ky., May 7.—Last night an old man, named William Hutchinson, attempted to shoot a tinner by the name of Stephens. Yesterday Stephens, who was drinking, in some way insulted Hutchinson, and last night while in the office of his boarding house, and in the act of drinking from a bottle, Hutchinson drew a pistol, saying he intended to kill him. Stephens caught the weapon and pointed it toward the floor. It was discharged, the ball passing through the floor. Both held on to the pistol, and a second shot was fired. The weapon was then taken from Hutchinson, who made his escape.

Not Fanny's Brother.

BOSTON, May 7.—Mr. Edgar L. Davenport, of the Boston Museum company, was seen this morning by a United Press reporter and shown the dispatch from San Francisco announcing the suicide of one William Henry Davenport, who, the dispatch stated was a son of the late E. L. Davenport, and a brother of Fanny Davenport. Mr. Davenport said the statements was erroneous. "I have but one brother," he said, "Harry B Davenport, who is in New York, and two sisters, Fanny and May. This man I do not know."

An Election Stopped.

The Sheriff Closes Up the Poles at Lafayette, Louisiana.

NO ELECTION WAS HELD.

"Regulators" Stop the Colored People from Exercising Their Franchise—Some of the Ring Leaders Arrested—Result of the Election in North Carolina.

NEW ORLEANS, May 7.—A special from Fayette, La., says: At 6 o'clock Monday morning a party of twenty-five or thirty armed men surrounded the court house, while several larger bands, also armed, remained outside of the town limits. These men loudly proclaimed that no negro would be permitted to vote at the municipal election, which was to be held yesterday.

At 6:30 o'clock Sheriff Boussard attempted to escort a number of colored men into the court house to vote. He was met at the entrance by the "Regulators" and the voters were compelled to turn back. The sheriff then consulted with the county commissioners and the clerk of the court, and they decided to close the polls.

This was done, and a sworn statement of the facts was forwarded to the governor.

Later dispatches from Lafayette fully confirms the report previously sent out. Governor Nichols has received a dispatch from Sheriff Broussard, stating he has arrested ten of the "Regulators." The sheriff thinks the parish authorities will be able to suppress the disorder. The governor, however, has ordered the militia to be ready to move at a moment's notice.

The postponed election will be held on some future date. The larger portion of the "Regulators" are said to be non-residents of the town.

The Election in North Carolina.

RALEIGH, N. C., May 7.—Municipal elections were held yesterday in all cities and towns in this state. The Democrats carried the day easily. The vote in this city was light, as a great majority of the negroes declined to vote or to take any interest in the election. This was also the case at Asheville. In this city the Democrats carried three out of five wards, and also carried another ward which has always heretofore been solidly Republican. The proposition to issue $100,000 in bonds for sewerage and street improvements was carried in Raleigh by 52 majority.

A TRUNK MYSTERY.

Nearly One Hundred Detectives Searching for a Clew to a Missing Man.

CHICAGO, May 7.—Nearly one hundred detectives and officers belonging to the city force, the Lakeview force, and the Pinkerton agency were scouring Lakeview yesterday morning in the hope of finding some clew to the mysterious disappearance of Dr. P. H. Cronin. So far no success has attended their efforts.

The trunk in which the doctors body is thought to have been placed after the supposed murder, has been traced from the corner of Fullerton avenue and Ferry street, to Clark street, from there to Evanston avenue and from there to Sulzer street, at that point the trail ends. The tuft of hair found in the trunk will be taken to Dr. Cronins barber, in order that it may be positively identified if possible.

The friends of Dr. Cronin scout the idea that he is on a spree.

Many deny that he was what is known as a "drinking man," and say that he never indulged in liquor to excess.

Arrested for Pension Fraud.

CHARLESTON, W. Va., May 7.—Early yesterday morning Deputy United States Marshal J. S. Atkinson and Special Agent A. W. Roome arrested E. J. Slaughter, in Glen Elk, who is charged with having fraudulently represented himself as an examiner of pension claims. He did some work for a party in Jackson county and wanted his victim to pay him $30 for services, but the matter was turned over to Capt. Roome, who soon traced his man. The case will be heard before Commissioner Fontaine Wednesday.

Postoffice Burglar Run In.

NEW YORK, May 7.—Inspector Byrne's men yesterday succeeded in arresting the Plainfield, N. J., postoffice burglars. Their names are James McDonald, alias Milky McDonald, and Michael Smith, alias Big McDermott. Both are noted cracksmen. On McDonald were found $50, a gold watch, six diamond drills, three sets of jewelry, a pair of eye-glasses, a package of powder, a map of New Jersey and a time table to Plainfield.

He Drank Too Much.

SCRANTON, Pa., May 7.—Melchor Huber, a prominent state contractor, while suffering from temporary insanity, caused by excessive drink, last night cut his throat from ear to ear. Failing to appear at his place of business this morning, a man was sent to his room to awaken him. Upon getting no response to his repeated raps and calls, he burst open the door and found him lying dead on his bed.

Striking Weavers Return to Work.

ROCKVILLE, Conn., May 7.—The gingham mills of the White Manufacturing company started up this morning, many of the striking weavers having returned to work. The strike, which began ten days ago, is practically over. The weavers return to work at ninety cents a hundred yards on flannels, which is a slight advance over the old price on ginghams.

Puddlers' Troubles.

LANCASTER, Pa., May 7.—The puddlers at the Sushanna rolling mill, at Columbia, who have been on a strike for the past six weeks, having refused to return to their place, a number of new hands were engaged, and work at the mill was partially resumed this morning. The company expect to have the mill running full handed soon.

Another Body Identified.

HAMILTON, Ont., May 7.—Matthew Griffith, of Cass City, Mich., has identified one of the victims of the recent railroad wreck as his cousin, George Conleu.

MURDERER CAPTURED.

The Slayer of Professor Matchett Delivered Up by His Brother.

GALENA, Ill., May 7.—Young Skene, who, it is alleged, murdered Professor Matchett, of Hanover, yesterday, was turned over to the sheriff to-day by his elder brother. Skene was placed behind the bars here, and, although identified as the man who fired the fatal shot, he persists in denying his guilt, and says that he can establish his innocence at the proper time.

His surrender took place at Hanover while the inquest over the remains of Professor Matchett was being held. The sheriff took his prisoner and started at once for this city. He was none too soon, for a mob was quickly formed at Hanover for the purpose of lynching Skene.

The funeral of Professor Matchett took place yesterday afternoon in the village of Hanover. The obsequies were of a most solemn nature and were attended by a vast concourse of people. A procession of citizens upwards of a mile in length escorted the remains to the place of burial.

Goes Up for Fifteen Years.

SINTON, Ill., May 7.—Mr. Williams murder trial ended here yesterday, the jury finding the defendant guilty of murder in the second degree and sentencing him to the penitentiary for fifteen years. The defendant seemed unmoved by it, although he had hoped for an acquittal. His counsel immediately made a motion for a new trial. The verdict meets with a general approval here.

A Fatal Wound in the Skull.

PORT HURON, Mich., May 7.—Harry Axworthy, an employe in James Spry's bottling works, was murdered Saturday night by Otto Sandberg. Spry and Sandberg engaged in a quarrel, and Axworthy undertook to separate them, when Sandberg plunged a knife in his skull, producing a fatal wound. Sandberg was arrested. He belongs to one of the best families in town.

A Drummer Suicides.

FORT BRANCH, Ind., May 7.—S. D. Williams, a drummer for the Siberling Machine company, Akron, O., committed suicide by cutting his throat at this place, yesterday morning. He was 35 years old, and lived at Crawfordsville, Ind. Williams was showing goods at the time. He walked to one side, sat down, drew a knife, slashed it across his throat and died almost instantly.

Marshal Harrison to Begin Work June 1.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., May 7.—Hon. Carter Harrison, brother to President Harrison, who recently appointed him to the United States marshalship for the middle district of Tennessee, arrived here from Murfreesboro this morning and agreed with United States Marshal Wilson to assume the duties of the office June 1. Wilson will leave Friday night for Washington, and after settling up his accounts will visit New York.

A Depot Burned.

CANTON, Ill., May 7.—At 1:15 p. m. yesterday the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy depot was discovered to be on fire. There was danger of the Toledo, Peoria and Wabash railway depot catching. The hotel was entirely destroyed. Several buildings to the north of the hotel were also burned.

A Wrestling Bout.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., May 7.—At the Milwaukee garden yesterday afternoon D. A. McMillan threw Lucien Marc Christol three straight falls, Græco-Roman style. The match was for $50 a side and the entire gate receipts. The length of the bout was 11:55, 8:40 and 5:43 minutes, respectively.

FRESH FROM THE WIRES.

News in Brief From All Parts of the Country.

Four persons were drowned near Brayton, W. Va.

The body of an unknown man was found in the river near Cincinnati.

A white woman was criminally assaulted by a negro at Nashville, Tenn.

George Barton, a paroled convict, escaped from the Zanesville, O., work house.

W. H. Morgan has been elected superintendent of the Cincinnati public schools.

Albert Albers and Nick Harpel were arrested at Cincinnati on a charge of incendiarism.

Rev. B. W. Chidlaw, D. D., has been appointed a member of the board of visitors to West Point.

A mad dog in Kanawha county, W. Va., bit seventeen dogs, a cow and a horse before it was killed.

Near Birmingham, Ala., T. L. Blakely, an old miner, was murdered while defending his wife from insults.

Joseph J. Reed, of Cincinnati, aged 19, is charged with the abduction of a 16-year-old girl named Toole.

Lincoln Curtis, a salesman, was arrested at Providence, R. I., charged with the embezzlement of $12,000.

Lieut. John C. Walshe, of the Signal corps, recently tried at Columbus, O., by a court-martial, has been acquitted.

E. J. Slaughter was arrested at Glen Elk, W. Va., on a charge of fraudulently representing himself to be an examiner of pension claims.

Near Louisville, Ky., Sebastian Ebbinger shot William Dietrich, Frank Burton and Rudolph Gossman. Dietrich is dead and Gossman will die.

Dr. Henry Jameson, for years Gen. Harrison's family physician, says that there is not a shadow of truth in the report from Washington that the president is troubled with Bright's disease.

John Riley, of Indianapolis, is very rily over the governor's refusal to give him a commission as trustee of the state blind asylum, and appeals to the supreme court which has already decided the commissions illegal.

Unsociable Farmer Babbitt, of Wilmington, O., climbed up on the fence and absolutely refused to come in a little game of cards played by a couple of wayside wanderers, even when they told him the winnings were his. But he saved money by it.

At Chicago, Sunday morning, William Tauer, insane, jumped from his bed, grabbed his six-months old baby, and beat its brains out against the wall. He then picked up a knife and ran his wife from the house. When found he was singing to the dead child and tenderly caressing it. It is feared his wife's mind has also been destroyed.

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FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

Quotations for the Money, Stock, Produce and Cattle Market for May 7.

NEW YORK.—Money 3 per cent. Exchange quiet; governments quiet.

Currency sixes, 121 bid; four coupons, 129¼ bid; four-and-a-halfs, 109 bid.

The stock market opened steady, but during the early half of the first hour there was some selling by the bears and prices declined fractionally. Toward 11 o'clock there was more inquiry, and prices strengthened. At this writing values are ⅛ to 1¼ per cent. higher than those of Saturday.

Bur. & Quincy	95¼	Michigan Cent.	79¾
Central Pacific	31¼	Missouri Pacific	73⅛
C., C., C. & I.	68¼	N. Y. Central	107⅞
Del. & Hudson	139¼	Northwestern	107⅝
Del., Lack. &W.	135½	Ohio & Miss.	23⅝
Illinois Central	119	Pacific Mail	37
Lake Shore	103¼	St. Paul	66⅝
Louisville & Nash	68¾	Western Union	86⅝

Cincinnati.

WHEAT—75@80c.

CORN—31@35c.

WOOL—Unwashed, fine merino, 18@19c; one-fourth blood combing, 23@24c; medium delaine and combing, 25@26c; braid, 16@18c; medium combing, 25@26c; fleece washed, fine merino X and XX, [illegible]; medium clothing, 28@30c; delaine fleece, [illegible].

HAY—No. 1 timothy, $12.50; No. 2, $8.00; prairie, $7.50@[illegible]; wheat, oats and rye straw, $5.00@6.00.

CATTLE—Good to choice butchers, $3.50@4.00; fair, $2.75@3.30; common, $1.50@2.25; stockers and feeders, $2.00@4.00; yearlings and calves, $2.50@3.25.

HOGS—Select butchers, $4.85@4.90; fair to good packing, $4.55@4.85; fair to good light, $4.75@4.85; common, $4.00@4.65.

SHEEP—Common to fair, $3.00@3.50; good to choice, $3.75@4.40.

LAMBS—$4.50@8.00.

Boston Wool Market.

Receipts of wool the past week 2,934 bales domestic and 3,939 bales foreign; sales 884,700 pounds domestic and 64,000 pounds foreign. Quotations: Ohio XXX 35c, do XX 33@34c, do X 32, do No. 1 35c, [illegible] Michigan X 30c, do No. 1 36c, fine delaine 35@36c, Michigan do 34c, unmerchantable, 24@25c, do Ohio 25@26, No. 1 Ohio combing 37c, do Michigan 36c, unwashed Ohio 22@23c, do Michigan 20@22c, Kentucky ¼-blood combing 30c, Kentucky ⅜-blood combing 29c, Missouri ⅜-blood combing 28@29c, Missouri ¼-blood combing 27@28c, Texas fine 12 months 20@23c, do 6 to 8 months 19@22c, do 12 months medium 19@23c, do 6 to 8 months 20@22c, Texas fall fine 17@20c, do medium 19@23c, Georgia 27@28c, California Northern spring free 22@26c, do Southern 13@17c, do burry 10@12c, free fall 15@17c, Southern fall 12@15c, Eastern Oregon ordinary 15@17c, do do choice 18@21c, Valley Oregon No. 1 25@28c, do do No. 2 23c, do do No. 3 20@25c, Territory fine 15@18c, do fine medium 17@20c, do coarse 17@19c, Kansas choice fine 15@17c, do medium 21@23c, Montana fine choice 26c, do average 20@21c, fine medium choice 22@25c, do do average 21@22c, medium choice 24@26c, do average 20@23c, low 18@20c, Maine supers 30@42c, eastern A 33@38c, eastern B 25@35c, western supers 26@32c, combing pulled 35@42c, extra 2[illegible], Montevideo 29@32c, Australian cross-bred 40@42c, Australian combing 37@41c, Australian clothing 33@36c, Cape 27@28c.

Pittsburg.

CATTLE—Prime, $4.00@4.50; fair to good, $3.70@3.90; common, $3.50; stockers and feeders, $3.00@3.50.

HOGS—Philadelphias, $4.90@5.00; mixed, $5.00; heavy hogs, $5.00; pigs and Yorkers, $4.90@5.00; common to fair, $5.05@5.10; grassers and stubblers, $4.75@4.85.

SHEEP—Prime, $4.10@4.25; fair to good, $3.00@3.90; common $2.00@3.00.

LAMBS—$3.00@5.25.

New York.

WHEAT—No. 1 state red, 96c; No. 2 red winter, June 83⅞c.

CORN—Mixed, 4[illegible]c.

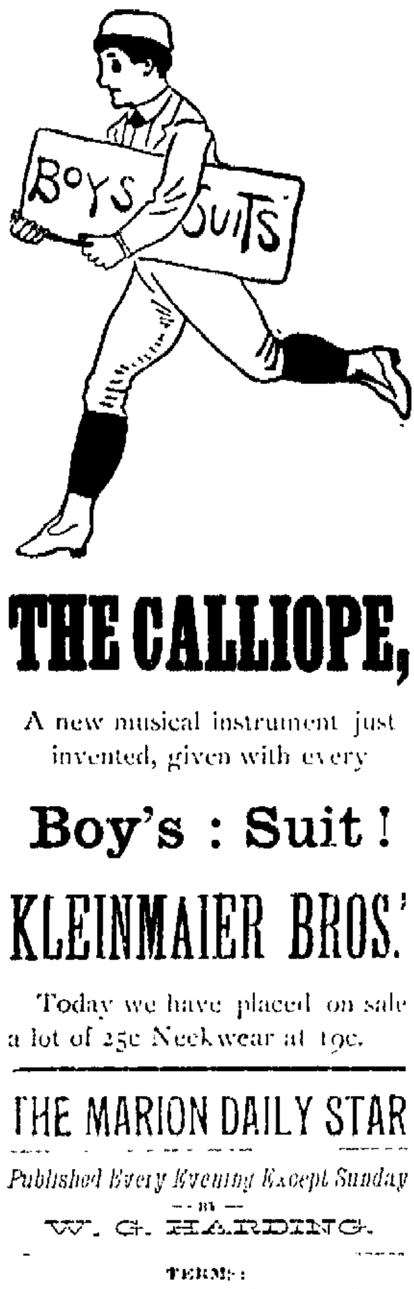
OATS—No. 1 white, 39c; No. 2 mixed, June, 28⅝c.

CATTLE—$2.00@4.50 per 100 pounds, live weight.

Chicago.

HOGS—Fair to good, $4.60@4.80; mixed packing, $4.50@4.65; heavy to choice, $4.60@4.80.

CATTLE—Choice to extra shipping, $3.90@4.15; mixed, $1.75@3.35; stockers and feeders, $2.00@3.40.



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TUESDAY, - - - - MAY 7.

CURIOUS THINGS OF LIFE.

J. M. Neal, of Calhoun, Ga., killed five wild turkeys at one shot.

Burglars entered a Detroit mansion the other night and took, along with other things, a bath.

The late Aaron White, of Connecticut, got together five tons of pennies during his life time, and probably died happy in the thought.

An old man from North Carolina went to Plymouth church last Sunday to hear Henry Ward Beecher preach. He hadn't heard of his death.

The idea that fish food was brain food had a run of ten years before any one asked why Esquimaux, who eat the most fish, had no mental smartness.

A citizen of Clackamas county, Ore., is asking the poor board for help. His strongest plea is that he has a family of eighteen children to support.

Charles Sampsel's pet bear at Williamsport swallowed a silver box full of fine cut the other day, and has been spitting tobacco juice, with a saddened visage, ever since.

Millions of minute snails fell in a shower at Tiffin, O., a few days ago. They were alive and crawled away to places of security soon after they reached the ground.

A Buffalo bachelor has a memorandum book in which he keeps the name of every girl he has ever kissed. He had 923 names on the list the last time he counted up.

An ex-convict named Monroe died in England recently, and in his will he bequeathed $100,000 to the warden of the Manitoba penitentiary, where he was confined at one time.

Out of 100,000 people who cross the Atlantic from New York to Liverpool, the loss of life is not as great as among 100,000 who travel between New York and Pittston, by rail.

In one block on Main street in Battle Creek the other day a reporter saw three one-legged men, four one-armed men and two other men who were so lame they couldn't walk without canes.

A curious result of being hit with a base ball is reported from Philadelphia. A stuttering man was struck in the mouth and when he got well the impediment in his speech had disappeared.

A rich Mexican lately had twenty bulls turned loose in his yard and single handed and alone he enjoyed the spectacle of contests between them until they were tired out and could fight no more.

A man at Newton, Kan., advertises as follows: "Wanted—A good six or eight room house by a family without children, grandchildren, mother-in-law, grandparents or hired girl with a lover."

William H. Harrison, a Haddonfield, N. J., grocer, dreamed a night or two ago that money was concealed in an ancient house near his store. He investigated and found $1,50 in continental currency back of an old mantelpiece.

In the center of a rock taken from the Locust Spring colliery was a collection resembling in size and appearance a snowball. It has a soapy nature, is quite soft, and when dried resembles silver dust. It puzzles Pottsville geologists.

Farmer Dutton, of Ellisville, N. Y., searched high and low for his father's will after the old gentleman died, nearly ten years ago. Recently he took up the family Bible, and the missing paper was found between the leaves. It had been there all the time.

Seventeen years ago John Morris left home at Goblesville, Mich., and without a word of warning to his friends "lit out" for California. A few days ago he came back, explained the situation, and as Mrs. Morris was still waiting for him they will go to California together this time.

William J. Richardson, the secretary of the Atlantic Avenue Surface Railway company of Brooklyn, sent a beautiful lily to each of his 852 employes from Hamilton, Bermuda. A letter accompanied each lily instructing them how to grow the beautiful flower.

A team of four cows appeared in Bellevue, Idaho, not long ago, having been driven from Nebraska, a distance of 1,000 miles. They had acted as motive power for a prairie schooner, and had also furnished milk and butter for the farmer and his family en route. They were in good condition, with the exception of their feet, which needed shoes badly.

WHAT THEY WEAR.

Fancy runs riot in the sleeves of the newest tea gowns.

Moire ribbon is as much in favor upon lace gowns as it was last summer.

Black is now stylish worn with any color from the palest to the deepest.

Crepe de chine will be largely used for afternoon watering place gowns.

Lilac and wistaria will be favorite flowers for ornamenting summer lace bonnets.

An authority declares that "ruffles, puffs, flounces and furbelows are looming up in the near future."

Yoke waists are now as popular for grown folk as they have been for children for the last two years.

The combination of blue and black is now so much in favor as to seriously threaten the long supremacy of green.

Many of the new silk wraps have a box of Chantilly lace down the front and are heavily trimmed with fine cut jet.

A feature in skirt trimming this spring is the straight panel hanging loose over one side and of a stuff entirely different from the dress.

Midsummer gowns of white crepon, draped in most æsthetic fashion over yellow, blue or pink silk, will be very much worn at Newport and other resorts.

The sash is de rigueur with Worth, and his latest caprice is the putting of a narrow ribbon beltwise around all waists, even those with sharp points.

Many of the handsome new ginghams will be lined with silk and so elaborately befurbelowed that they will cost more than a gown of silk throughout.

The new camel's hair, with borders of bengaline brocaded with spun silk, are costly, but while pretty enough on the counter are too pronounced to be elegant.

Many of the new straight skirts are plaited on to the belt, but they are much more stylish if shirred three or four inches deep and drawn to fit the foundation skirt.

Clinging stuffs, such as crepon, light silks and so on, are preferred for summer wear, though fine light cloths will be much used for traveling and seaside wear.

Some of the handsomest of the new evening gowns have ostrich feather trimming four inches wide all around the court train as well as upon the waist and sleeves.

The lightest and the richest stuffs are now used together. Tulle is combined with brocaded or embroidered velvet and the thinnest gauze with gold or silver shot moire.

The new long sleeves come very high upon the shoulder, and are puffed or shirred or plaited throughout their length in more ways than the mind of any one can conceive.

Long coats and polonaises are very much worn, but basques and round waists with straight skirts slightly draped upon the foundation come in numbers from all the best houses.

Lace, black, white or colored, is more used than for several years past. The newest patterns have either a straight edge or else very deep points. Gauze and net are almost as much in favor.

India silk with black figures is trimmed always with black; the ribbons are of black moire or velvet, the jabot of black lace, and often panels of plain black silk are set at the side of the skirt.

Waists are not so pointed as they were in winter and last summer. Revers upon them are still much used, though not as stylish as soft loose folds crossing surplice fashion and quite hiding the fastening of the front.

The pad bustle is moribund, yet one or two steels are required by the gradual slope at the back that is characteristic of many of the new imported gowns. When used they must never be less than twelve inches below the waist.

Full vests, sleeves and cascades of lace are seen upon all sorts of imported costumes. A novelty is the use of lace as a facing for revers, in which case the gown stuff is cut out to match the scallop and neatly hemmed down upon it.

Fish net that you could put a finger through comes in black silk and is especially stylish when made up over black moire. The skirt is deeply hemmed and above that has ten rows of the narrowest satin ribbon drawn through its meshes.

Skirts grow long and longer. Nearly all indoor gowns have a train of some sort. The favorite style is straight breadths, falling loose from the rest of the skirt and anywhere from fifty to ninety inches long. Seventy is about the golden mean.

A handsome novelty in embroidery is that with deep scallops at the edge underlaid with a straight row of lace, through which the scallop is wrought. In India silk the embroidery is sometimes forty inches deep, with twelve inch lace below it.

Foulard and India silk grow more and more in favor. Blue is the leading color, especially when figured with black. The striped silks, though not nearly as pretty as the figured ones, are so much fewer that they are voted much more distinguished.

To cut the genuine leg-o'-mutton sleeve you must fold the goods bias, then cut one corner of the folded square at a height that will make it just big enough to go over the hand, then make the mutton ham curve out to the folded over corner, and from there make a big round to the top. To set well they must be sewed in so that a perfect bias will come over the elbow.—New York Commercial Advertiser.

THE LATEST IN JEWELS.

Skeleton gold initials are the newest fad in cuff buttons.

The demand for enamel jewelry shows little signs of abating.

An ingenious combination is a piano lamp and music rack attached.

Leather purses recently imported have clasps with big silver medallions.

An enameled target pierced by a diamond arrow, is a much admired scarf pin.

By way of contrast little agate barrels are seen attached to gold chains as charms.

Pretty onyx tables, with brass ornamentation, form choice household decorations.

Some of the silverware houses are exhibiting unique patterns in ice cream spoons.

The stylish parasol handle is spiral pattern of silver and stained ivory intermingled.

Exquisite effect is lent to an opal scarf pin by a cluster of small rubies hanging from it.

One of the most striking devices seen is a brass cuspidore in the form of a sunflower.

A splendid specimen of a jewel case is formed of Brazilian onyx, mounted in richly chased gold.

Hairpins of a quaint character are those which represent muskets, in transparent amber.

A black onyx shell, set flush with numerous small diamonds, makes one of the nicest of brooches.

A novelty in chatelaine ornaments is a small silver covered plush album to serve as a pin cushion.—Jewelers' Review.

DAUGHTERS OF EVE.

A close friend of Mrs. Langtry says she is worth $700,000 in money, bonds and real estate.

Lady Mount Temple has succeeded her late husband as president of the Band of Mercy in England.

A young lady at Portland, Me., has worked up a new business in which she is said to be doing well—that of reading to old or disabled people.

Princess Christian and Princess Louise, it is said, delight to drive about London in hansom cabs, greatly to the disgust of their super-royal mother.

Miss Laura White, of Kentucky, took the honors in architecture at the Michigan university, and has now gone to Paris to complete the study of it.

Mrs. Hannah Clard, of Millville, N. J., has just celebrated her 100th birthday; but, strange to relate, does not read without glasses nor dance jigs after the manner of the average centenarian.

Miss Eugenia Washington, great-grandniece of Gen. George, and wonderfully like him in features, is now employed in one of the departments at Washington.

Rose Elizabeth Cleveland is going to Europe this summer, and it is rumored that she will lecture on American literature in a young ladies' boarding school in London.

A lady who got off a train at the Meadville depot a few days ago fell in front of a passing Nypano train, but rolled from the track in the nick of time to save her life. The wheels of the locomotive passed over the skirts of her dress.

Upon one street in Elizabeth, N. J., there are now living a grandniece of Washington and three great-grandnieces of Wilson Cary, father to the beautiful Mary Cary, who is said to have been the great general's first love.

Miss Susanna M. Dunklee, of Newton, Mass., the first woman to be bank treasurer in the United States, with the help of a clerk now handles about $500,000 in money each year. In the fifteen years of her experience she has but twice taken in a counterfeit bill—in each case a $10 one.

Mrs. Mercy Chase, of North Woodstock, Me., aged 88 years, has spun nine pounds of rolls and doubled and twisted the same, has knit seven pairs of double mittens, eight pairs of stockings, is now drawing in a large rug, and has patched two quilts since the wool was carded in the summer of 1888.

Queen Victoria was disposed to bestow the Order of the Garter upon the queen regent of Spain, who would, no doubt, have returned the compliment by conferring the Golden Fleece upon her majesty; but it was discovered by the authorities that there is no precedent for giving the Garter to a female sovereign, so the idea was abandoned.

The women of Chicago have established the first College of Practical Arts for women in this country. It is designed to give women a practical insight into the avenues of business life, such as law, railroads, life insurance, general office work, etc. The incorporators of the college are Mmes. Helen M. Mott, Charles B. Smith and Miss Katharine G. Todd.

Miss Helen Gladstone, the daughter of the "Grand Old Man," who has been at the head of the movement for the higher education of women for many years and is the president of Wenham college, Cambridge, says that she is convinced that the "full cultivation of women's intellectual powers has no tendency to prevent them from properly discharging domestic duties."

STRAY BITS.

An old negro woman of Augusta, Ga., set fire to her house to "drive the witches out."

The Castle of Meyerling, where Crown Prince Rudolph shot himself, will become a convent of Carmelite nuns, the death chamber becoming a chapel.

A circular has just been issued by the French Botanical society inviting foreign botanists to take part in the botanical congress to be held at Paris in August next.

Such a thing as bringing a libel suit against a newspaper has not been known in Italy for fifty years. The belief is that a newspaper seeks to tell the truth. If it is mistaken a frank statement to that effect satisfies the Italian.

Grain, fruit and agricultural productions in California promise a greater yield this season than has ever been known, independent of the fact that the acreage has increased one third in some sections. Farmers say they never saw grain in better condition.

The new constitution of Japan is described as "a government of the emperor, for the emperor and by the emperor." It no more resembles Magna Charta than a bat does an elephant, and makes the government of Japan in reality a government of "I am."

Maria Burns, a colored woman who died at Onancock, Va., recently, had for more than thirty years supported herself and her worthless husband by making molasses cakes. She used two barrels of flour a month, and since the war closed she had made and sold 4,000,000 cakes.

A Port Huron barber has found great profit in the pigs in clover puzzle, as it helps him hold customers who claim they can't await their turn. "Just try that," he says, soothingly, thrusting the puzzle into their hands, and when he gets ready to shave 'em they're in the shop yet, you bet.

A Midland court has been called upon to decide how long an impulse can last. A well known lady was charged with shooting game without a license. She pleaded in defense that she acted under impulse, having been asked to take a gun by one of the gentlemen at a shooting party, but her impulse continued for two hours. So she was fined £2.

A farmer of Terrell county, Ga., went out the other night to wash a fine Jersey cow in kerosene to cure her of the itch. He had just got her well saturated when a clumsy little negro who was holding the light accidentally set fire to her. The cow started off through the darkness thirty feet at a jump. She was finally captured and taken home, and has entirely recovered from the burning she received.

In 1885 Mr. Hertz put his name down as a subscriber for an etching of Munkacsy's "Christ on Calvary." It was not ready until 1888, and he refused payment on the ground that it had taken too long and was sued. The experts called in the case testified that, considering the size and delicacy of the work, three years was not an excessive time for its production. Mr. Hertz had to pay.

After sprinkling stale rolls or biscuits with cold water place them in a pan and cover them with a second pan. Set in a warm oven for twelve minutes and they will seem as nice as if freshly baked and are more digestible.

In answer to Louis Ulbach's remark that Zola was "a hedgehog whom it was well not to touch," Daudet once replied, "You exaggerate. Zola is simply a cactus of Provence that has sprung up between the paving stones of Paris."

A FAIR SHOW.

Making a Hog Happy, and How It Resulted.

We were sitting in front of Taylor's grocery on a summer day, when a big black hog came nosing along the gutter and started a new train of thought. In the crowd of loungers was a man from St. Louis, and, after watching the porker for a while, he remarked:

"I wonder if that hog ever had a real good time in all his life?"

"Hogs allus have good times, I guess," remarked the village cooper, who had knocked off work and come over to hear some politics.

"I doubt it," said the other. "He must feel his degraded position in life, and so he cannot be happy. I wish I could do something to make him feel that life is worth the living."

"Fust man I ever saw who pitied a hog!" grunted the blacksmith, who ought to have been tacking a shoe on a waiting mule.

"Yes, I do pity him. I've been down myself and know how it is. Taylor, have you got any cherry whisky?"

"Mighty little, if any. More cherries than whisky, I guess."

"If you've got two quarts of cherries which have been in liquor, bring 'em out, and I'll give you half a dollar. I'm going to make that hog happy for two hours."

The grocer got the cherries, which had been lying in liquor for a couple of years, and the St. Louis man poured them out into the gutter for the hog. They were devoured with astonishing avidity, and the porker stood and looked at us and hungered for more. It was doubted by some if the liquor would affect him, but after a few minutes he began to frisk and play, and was evidently under the influence.

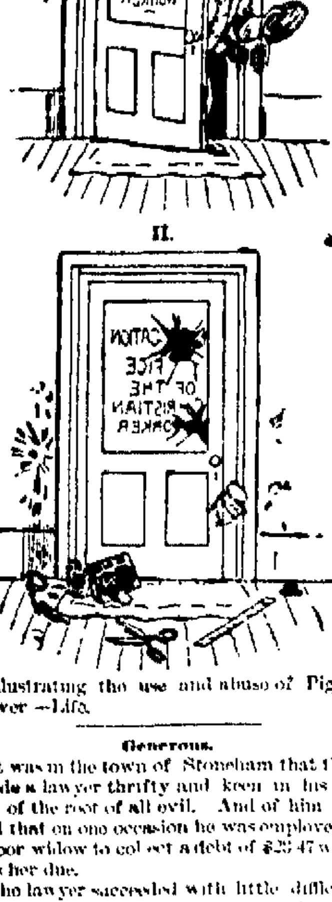
"That does me good," said the donor of the cherries. "He is becoming light hearted, and life will now take on new charms to him. Hang a man who won't give a hog a show!"

Just then the animal uttered a hoarse "woof!" and charged for the crowd. We scattered and he entered the grocery, took two or three turns, and shot out and down the street. Esquire Smith was coming up, and the hog charged and upset him. He then headed for a horse and buggy in front of Snyder's, crashed against the horse's hind legs and in another moment there was a runaway. The widow Watkins was sailing along with a can of kerosene in her hand, and the hog rolled her off the walk as if she had been struck by a locomotive. He then charged a double team and started them off, dove into Gaylord's dry goods store and out, and the old man Sabin turned in from Elm street just in time to be lifted three feet high and rolled into a puddle.

Fifty men were out and after the porker by this time, but he started another runaway, upset a baby carriage, and knocked the register of deeds off his pins before we cornered him and got a rope around a hind leg. Then everybody was mad and wanted vengeance, but when they came to look for the St. Louis man he had skipped. He, however, left a message for the public, saying to a boy who had shinned up an awning post to be out of danger:

"My son, if you haven't adopted a motto yet, let me throw out one for your digestion. It is: 'Give everything a fair show.'"—New York Sun.

A Short Story.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Illustrating the use and abuse of Pigs in Clover.—Life.

Generous.

It was in the town of Stoneham that there abode a lawyer thrifty and keen in his pursuit of the root of all evil. And of him it is told that on one occasion he was employed by a poor widow to collect a debt of $23.47 which was her due.

The lawyer succeeded with little difficulty in securing the money, the person who owed it being ready enough to defraud the poor widow, but having a wholesome fear of the law before his eyes. The lawyer sent for the widow to tell her of his success and great was her joy, since sorely did she need it.

"I suppose," she said, with hesitation, after he had related his success, "that I owe you something for your work."

"Well," he replied, with an air of the greatest magnanimity, "I ought to charge you $25 but I know you are poor, and you need not bother about the other $1.53."

And the widow went home sorrowful, but wiser than she had been before.—Boston Courier.

Lincoln's Estimate of Varioloid.

Will Cumback is at the Ebbitt. "Speaking about the president," said he, "and the office seekers, of course, where there are three applicants for every position two are going to be disappointed. He can't give them all places. That reminds me. When Lincoln was president he was taken ill, and the doctor told him he had varioloid.

"'What is it?' he asked.

"'Varioloid,' said the doctor.

"'Good enough,' said Lincoln. 'I've got something now I can give everybody.'"—Washington Post.

Making Progress.

Mr. Winks (reading)—Professor Davidson says that the English language is easier to acquire than any other spoken.

Mrs. Winks—Of course it is. Even our baby is learning it.—Time.

Waste of Time and Money.

She—What do you think of this fad of having the hand photographed?

He—I think a pretty girl can have her hand taken without going to the photographer's.—Harper's Bazar.

LITERARY LIGHTS.

Miss Mary E. Braddon will soon issue her fifty-seventh novel.

Rider Haggard is at work on a novel which he says will be his greatest effort.

Dumas' two children inherit the dramatic and literary talent of their parents.

Taine's health has sufficiently improved to permit him to resume literary work.

Thomas Nelson Page, the southern dialect writer, is a first cousin of Amelie Rives.

Mrs. Cashel Hoey, the Irish novelist, is about 65 years old, short, stout and thoroughly English in her style of dress.

Owing to the decline of his faculties the venerable historian, George Bancroft, has entirely ceased his literary work.

It is proposed to place a natural bowlder, suitably inscribed, on some spot near Rev. E. P. Roe's old home at Cornwall-on-Hudson.

Garrett P. Serviss, author of "Astronomy with an Opera Glass," is 35 years of age and an able member of the editorial staff of The New York Sun.

The poet Whittier has acknowledged the authorship of "The Song of the Vermonters," which has been once or twice of late years reprinted as his.

The Athenæum says that the past winter has been unparalleled in the ravages it has made in the ranks of distinguished Scandinavian men of letters.

Robert Burns Wilson, the Kentucky poet, who is also a talented artist, it is said, has all the feeling required for the evolution of a great landscape painter.

The health of Paul du Chaillu has broken down under the strain of preparing his great work on "The Viking Age," which he has had in hand for eight years.

Henrik Ibsen, the Norwegian author and dramatist, is described as having "a large face, firm mouth and chin, heavy white hair, a broad, high forehead and kindly eyes."

When Miss Huxley, daughter of the famous naturalist, was married the other day she had Mrs. Humphrey Ward's and Alma Tadema's daughters among her bridesmaids.

It is rumored that the clever author, who, under the name Ary Ecilaw, has for the last four or five years been wonderfully successful as a writer, is a lady closely related to Queen Victoria.

A Duty to Yourself.

It is surprising that people will use a common ordinary pill when they can secure a valuable English one for the same money. Dr. Acker's English pills are a positive cure for sick-headache and all liver troubles. They are small, sweet, easily taken and do not gripe. Sold by H. C. Hoberman & Co.

—Dr. R. [illegible] of Detroit, Mich., [illegible] of Marion, [illegible] in the county. Any [illegible] eyes, or even those [illegible] glasses [illegible] at the postoffice will be [illegible] ed to [illegible] visiting patients at their home. On [illegible] days and [illegible] at his office at residence [illegible]

It is related that at a recent meeting in Vermont of a pension examining board twin brothers from Castleton presented themselves for examination. The claims were original and for the same disability, the brothers were the same height and weight and were enlisted in the same company and regiment. This was the first instance of the kind in the history of the board.

Caution to Mothers.

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No. 37	8:20 a. m.	No. 6	12:05 p. m.
No. 5	2:55 p. m.	No. 38	2:55 p. m.
No. 3	11:05 p. m.	No. 8	10:45 p. m.

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WEST.		EAST.	
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No. 3	10:23 a. m.	No. 10	8:45 a. m.
No. 5	3:25 p. m.	No. 2	2:43 p. m.
No. 9	11:28 p. m.	No. 6	9:57 p. m.
Local	9:20 a. m.	Local	2:43 p. m.

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NORTH.		SOUTH.	
No. 1	5:41 p. m.	No. 2	9:58 a. m.
No. 3	8:37 a. m.	No. 4	8:40 p. m.

C. AND A.

WEST.		EAST.	
No. 1	8:00 a. m.	No. 12	5:20 a. m.
No. 5	2:55 p. m.	No. 10	7:15 p. m.
No. 17	2:40 p. m.	No. 20	7:00 p. m.
No. 3	10:45 p. m.	No. 8	10:45 p. m.
No. 39	6:00 a. m.	No. 18	12:01 p. m.

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Erie—East	12:05 p. m
C. C. C. & I.—East	2:47 p. m.
Erie—West	2:55 p. m

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NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that on the first day of May, A. D., 1889, there was presented to the Council of the village of Marion, county of Marion, state of Ohio, a petition for an ordinance granting the right to construct a street railway on certain streets in the village of Marion, Ohio, commencing at a point at the west end of Center street at the Columbus, Hocking Valley and Toledo railway grounds, thence along the said street to Madison avenue, near the Normal school, and at a point on the south corporation line on Delaware avenue; thence along Delaware avenue to a point where the same intersects Main street, thence along Main street to a point where the same intersects Farming street, thence along Farming street to a point where the same intersects East street, thence along East street to a street running east and west along the north corporation line, thence east along the said street on the north corporation line to a point just opposite of where the residence on the Fair Grounds now stands, and there terminate.

Dated this first day of May, A. D., 1889.

H. M. AULT,
Village Clerk.

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NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that on the 19th day of April, A. D. 1889, there was presented to the Council of the Village of Marion, County of Marion, and State of Ohio, a petition for an ordinance granting the right to construct a street railway on Center street in said Village from the east line of East street west to the west end of said Center street.

Dated this 20th day of April, 1889.

H. M. AULT, Clerk of said Village.

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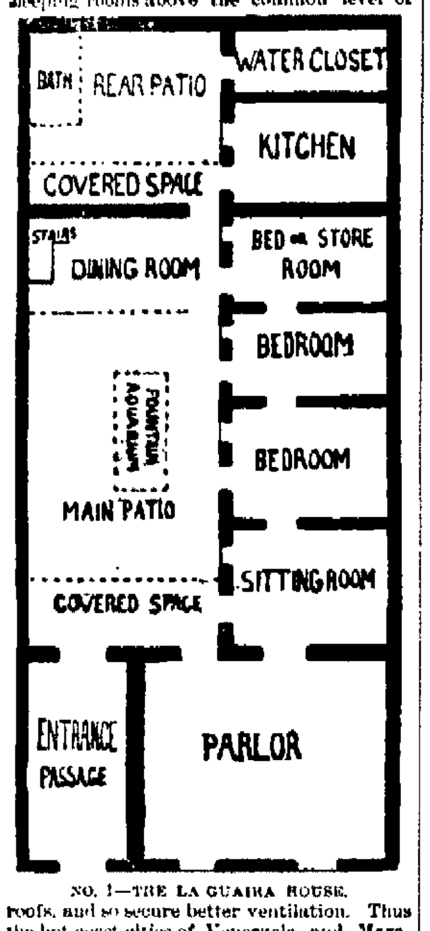
[Special Correspondence.]

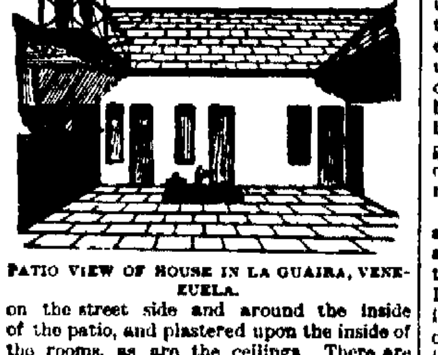
NEW YORK, May 6.—A far greater proportion of the dwellings of Spanish America than of other civilized countries are only one story in height, and of those above this height in the tropics the largest proportionate number is to be found in the seaport cities. The style and materials are better fitted for a single story, usually, but the coast cities being the hottest, an additional story is sometimes given to a part or to the whole of a residence to elevate the family living and sleeping rooms above the common level of roofs, and so secure better ventilation. Thus the hot coast cities of Venezuela, and Maracaibo, on the great lake of the same name, have more dwellings of two stories, in proportion to their whole numbers, than Caracas, the capital, one of the most delightful cities in the world as to climate and scenery and the generous hospitality of its people.



NO. 1—THE LA GUAIRA HOUSE.

To illustrate the style of purely Spanish American city dwellings two typical examples are given in this article, suitable with or without slight modifications for suburban or country homes, and especially for summer homes in a temperate climate. One is of a house of moderate size and cost, and the other of one which has greater pretensions. Both are completely representative with or without the second story rooms; but in the first instance a single second story sleeping room was given for the sake of greater coolness, in a place where the heat is excessive and almost wholly untempered by a land breeze at night, and in the second the rear line of rooms was given a second story to accommodate a large establishment upon the space allotted to the building. There is, in fact, the anomaly of but one three story residence in the city of Caracas with its 80,000 inhabitants, and the stately capitol itself in its main part has but one story, and in its office part but two stories. The buildings, of which plans are here given, are fully described for the benefit of any suggestions which may present themselves to our own home makers.

This house is situated on a main street in the heart of the city and has a front of thirty feet and a depth of eighty-five, including the thickness of the walls, the main ones being two feet and some of the partitions but one foot thick. The walls up to the roof, and the partition wall which separates the premises from those on the left, are about fifteen feet high, and are built of common seaside stones, irregular stones from the mountain which crowds the city so closely to the sea, common earth lime and mortar. They are stuccoed on the street side and around the inside of the patio, and plastered upon the inside of the rooms, as are the ceilings. There are two large bay windows in front, without glazing but with perpendicular small bars and inside shutters, double below and above, for each window. The thickness of the walls permits ample window seats. The entrance passage has double outer and inner doors of heavy material, which are usually open during the day and locked and additionally fastened by heavy wooden cross bars at night. The passage is paved with squares of blue slate stone.



PATIO VIEW OF HOUSE IN LA GUAIRA, VENEZUELA.

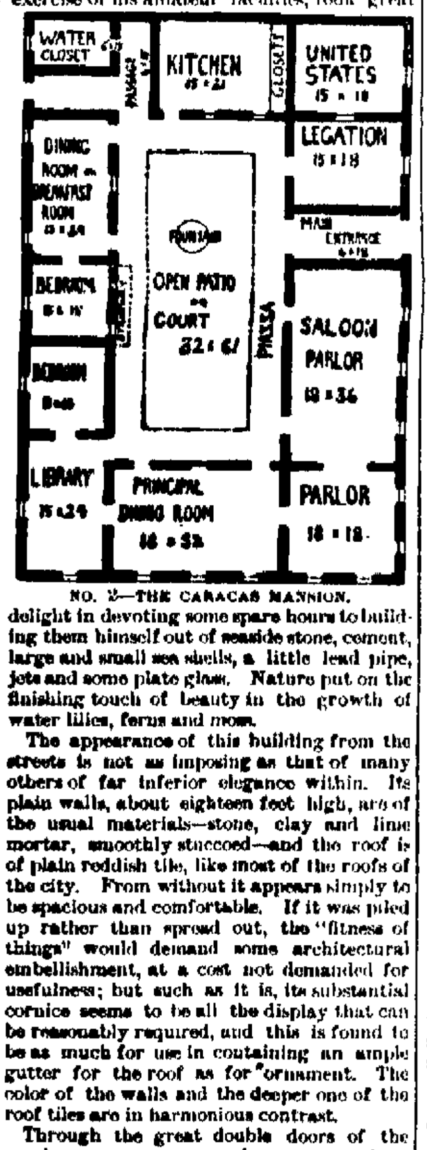
The outer doors and the windows of all the inner rooms open directly upon the patios or courts, portions of which are covered by projections of the roofs, or, as in the case of the dining room, by the second story room. The dining room contains an open stairway to the large and airy sleeping room above, and under the stairs a convenient closet. The principal portions of the main and rear patios are open to the sky, giving abundant light and air usually to the bordering rooms in rear of the parlor. The main patio and its dining room extension, from which it is separated by a checkered screen of lattice work about six feet high, are paved with slabs of marble and bluish slate in alternate colors. The screen secures privacy to the dining room without shutting out light and air, or a sense and part enjoyment of the pleasantness of the patio, with its fernery, aquarium, fountain, plants and flowers in pots and birds singing in their cages. The covered space in the front part of the patio, next to the entrance, the parlor and the sitting room, is a remarkably pleasant spot in the evening, protected from the dew, especially with the moon shining down, or with the patio and its contents illuminated by a lamp and reflector hung against the screen in rear of the fountain. If one is weary the whole scene seems to comfort him, "like tired eyelids upon tired eyes," with a touch of most grateful rest.

The rear patio has the kitchen and retiring room opening upon it and contains a huge bath tub, almost large enough to swim in, entirely secluded at will. A projection of the second story roof covers enough of this patio to shade a place to do work under, and where a hanging refrigerator can be placed. The water for family use comes from the city supply from the mountain into the rear patio, and all surplus from both patios is sent off through a central drain under both, having grated openings, one being under the fountain, connecting with the street sewer.

The ceiling of the parlor of this house is arched well up to the roof, and the room being a large one—18 by 21—it has a rather noble and dignified appearance, which is increased, yet with a softening change not easily described, by the outlook through the high door into the marble paved patio, with its high white walls and its fountains and flowers—a handsome and homelike conservatory.

Nothing more free, healthy and charming can be imagined for an equal indoor space; and with all the rooms lighted and their doors open, within and towards the patio, a cottage or simple residence of this kind, large enough for a family of five or six persons, and plainly but neatly furnished, has the appearance within of a cheerful mansion or a fairy palace. The large, pleasant second story room has a balcony projecting out over the patio, and from it a view over the front roof is presented of the coast mountains, Cape Blanco and the bay, and to the right the open sea. When the eye tires of these there is the domestic picture of the patio just below. And yet all this sunny or shady enjoyment is, by the arrangement of the building and rooms, made secluded, and has its beauty and freedom almost to abandon, if so desired, shut into the heart of a modest and unpretentious home. As such a style of building is suitable, with some possible modifications perhaps, to our own land and climate during at least half of the year, there seem to be good reasons why it should receive careful attention. And sufficient additions required by climate could readily be made to fit a building of this character, as to style of architecture, for constant habitation and comfort.

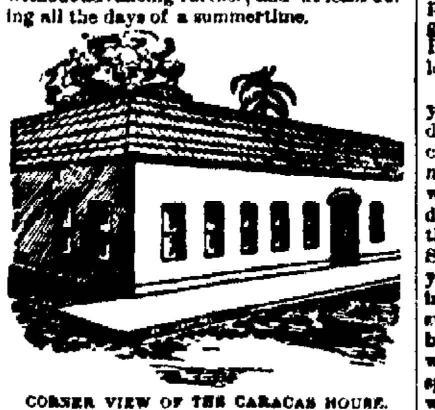
The principal modifications necessary to meet the requirements of the cold season are such as relate to heating the rooms and keeping out snow. In the suburbs or the country also side windows and side and rear entrances would be desired. None of these modifications need make much change in the style or character of the house, and none is difficult. A glass roof for the patios, with movable side or upper sashes to regulate the temperature, a heating apparatus which would be required in any kind of a dwelling of the same indoor size—these are not difficult of attainment. The house here described, with handsome floors of yellow pine and roofs of slate, its rear patio paved with grayish limestone, finished in plain, neat, substantial style, cost only $2,500. It need not cost more than that in most country places in the United States. The fountain, fernery, etc., were added, at a cash cost for material alone of $35. The writer, in the exercise of his amateur faculties, took great delight in devoting some spare hours to building them himself out of seaside stone, cement, large and small sea shells, a little lead pipe, jets and some plate glass. Nature put on the finishing touch of beauty in the growth of water lilies, ferns and moss.



NO. 2—THE CARACAS MANSION.

The appearance of this building from the streets is not as imposing as that of many others of far inferior elegance within. Its plain walls, about eighteen feet high, are of the usual materials—stone, clay and lime mortar, smoothly stuccoed—and the roof is of plain reddish tile, like most of the roofs of the city. From without it appears simply to be spacious and comfortable. If it was piled up rather than spread out, the "fitness of things" would demand some architectural embellishment, at a cost not demanded for usefulness; but such as it is, its substantial cornice seems to be all the display that can be reasonably required, and this is found to be as much for use in containing an ample gutter for the roof as for ornament. The color of the walls and the deeper one of the roof tiles are in harmonious contrast.

Through the great double doors of the ample entrance way one advances upon pleasant surprises, unless he is acquainted with this style of architecture and its accessories. Instead of an outside piazza there is a wide inside one, completely surrounding a great open patio, partly paved and partly laid out in beds of rich tropical flowers, and having directly in front of the entrance a handsome fountain of Italian marble, about five feet high in the center, with a large, low circular basin. He sees that the suite of rear rooms along the court has a line of rooms above, with the rear piazza doubled to suit the upper line, and that, although the house is but one story high in front while it is two stories in the rear, the roof is of uniform height. This handsome court, with its piazzas and garden, seems a place to enjoy one's self in without advancing further, and at least during all the days of a summertime.



CORNER VIEW OF THE CARACAS HOUSE.

With the plan of this dwelling before him, the reader needs no minute details of how this was constructed. Its three principal rooms are arched up into the roof and finished in native woods, and their calcimined walls and ceilings are tinted. The second story rooms are large and airy, and all are sleeping apartments, one being the size of the library beneath, one the size of the two bed rooms, one of the breakfast room, and one of the passage and end room. They communicate with the upper piazza, and some with each other, and a stairway leads up to them from the rear of the patio. There is no bath room, but instead large marble bath tubs are used—a common substitute in the tropics.

An outside corner view is given of this house without the projection of the windows and the bars, the better to show how it would appear as it would probably be constructed among us. The house has long been occupied by a gentleman, when he has been at home, who was recently minister of Venezuela to the United States, Senor Antonio M. Soteldo, and the two rooms at the right of the main entrance have for years been the office of the United States legation in Caracas. The extent of the building upon the ground is 73 by 102 feet, the main walls being 2 feet thick, and the partition walls 18 to 20 inches. The structure is practically as substantial as one of brick or stone, and as seldom needs repairs. The cost of this spacious, cheerful and convenient mansion of fourteen rooms was about $12,000—much less than the cost of its rich furnishings.

ALMONT BARNES.

OUR NEW YORK LETTER.

Herman Oelrichs in the Character of a Water Dog.

[Special Correspondence.]

NEW YORK, May 6.—Already there is eager anticipation as to the forthcoming international yacht race.

Herman Oelrichs has half consented to invest a small fortune in a yacht which, it is hoped, will prove that American boatbuilders have not yet fully tested their powers. Oelrichs, who is a stalwart blonde who has passed the fateful 40 without becoming fat, is one of the best known and most popular men about town. In the Twenty-first street mansion of James Gordon Bennett, which he leases, he dispenses a rare and frequently odd hospitality, which has won the lasting admiration of the gilded youths of the metropolis. Not the least notable achievement of his career in this respect was interspersing the courses of a dinner with a variety entertainment by hired professionals, coffee being sipped between the bouts of a boxing tourney between two of the cleverest pugilists in this country. But his business career and his performance of his duties in the last presidential campaign as the member from the state of New York of the Democratic national committee have shown that he can rise above the frivolities of life and acceptably occupy any station.

If, however, he becomes the defender of the America cup, it as a water dog that his personality will be most discussed.

Oelrichs is veritably amphibious. His friends' mouths are filled with his natatorial feats. He is the agent in this country and one of the largest owners of the North German Lloyds. Last spring the Aller of that steamship line made her first trip from this port. She was crowded with passengers. As she neared Sandy Hook there was the flash of a figure from her upper deck, and then went up the terrifying cry of "Man overboard!" The great vessel ceased to churn the water in her wake, and in an instant a boat was lowered and manned, and strong arms sent it bounding towards the man, now some distance away, but still bravely struggling in the water.

When they reached him he quietly turned upon his back and to the astonished gaze of the anxious seamen exposed the laughing visage of Herman Oelrichs. With a wave of his hand he shouted, "I am all right, boys," and then with lusty stride he cleared his way towards his yacht Hildegarde which awaited him one-half of a mile away. When the sailers reported to the captain of the Aller, he uttered, although a German, an unconscious Hibernianism, when he said: "That tam Herman; the next time he plays me such a trick I let him trown."

But Oelrichs was not born to be drowned. The Hildegarde was anchored off Sandy Hook last summer with a party of his friends aboard. A well known member of the Racquet club and an accomplished swimmer was standing idly by the gunwale when Oelrichs suddenly pushed him overboard and then promptly, without divesting himself of any clothing, sprang in the bay after him. "That was a mean trick, old fellow," said Oelrichs laughingly to his friend. "But your positon was too tempting to be resisted. Can I help you back?" The other with mock dignity responded: "My dear Herman, your hospitality is entirely too chilling. I will seek another abode than the Hildegarde."

"But," replied Oelrichs, "you have nowhere else to go at present."

Fully one mile away the yacht of John Waller, commodore of the New York Yacht club, was seesawing upon the very verge of the ocean. Looking towards it the Racquet club man said: "I think I will run over and call upon Jack Waller."

"I will go with you," said Oelrichs, and both men struck out in the designated direction. Their visit was rather surprising to the hospitable commodore, but he gave them a warm welcome. When sufficient champagne had been consumed and the two men were ready to return to the Hildegarde, Waller wished to send them back in a yawl, but Oelrichs simply said: "We'll go back the way we came," and immediately sprang overboard. Before his friend could follow him he was deterred by a cry of alarm from the sailors gathered forward.

A dark object, shaped like a sail and with the sharpness of a knife was swiftly cleaving the water behind the swimmer. Those who have ever witnessed the movement of such an object know the dread it inspires even in a safely guarded onlooker. It was a shark's dorsal fin. The captain of the yacht had a pistol leveled in a moment and fired. The fin changed its course, but was still seen above the water. There were eager men in the yawl in a moment and in a few seconds the little boat was alongside the swimmer. He was found placidly swimming on his back, his feet agitating the water behind him. Anxious arms were stretched towards him, but he made no movement to meet them.

"A shark!" said Oelrichs smilingly. "I saw him. If he bites me he will get the hydrophobia," and despite all appeals he refused to get into the yawl. He swam back to the Hildegarde, the boat and the shark also following him all the way.

The Racquet club man returned in the yawl. One of three young swells who were dining with Oelrichs in the New York Athletic club determined to put his host's far famed marine daring to a severe test. The four men were arrayed in full evening dress. After dinner the large and deep swimming tank on the first floor of the building was inspected. Standing on the springing board one of the young men suddenly said, "Herman, join me in a header," and instantly dived overboard, swallow tailed coat, broad expanse of shirt bosom, white tie and all. Without saying a word, and dressed just as he was, Oelrich sprang after him. The other two could not withstand this foolish challenge to their nerves, and in another second four men in evening dress were swimming in the tank.

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EASTWARD.

	No. 8.	No. 10.	No. 12.	N
Lv. Chicago	2.25‡	8.45§	8.10‡	6.15‡
" Archer Avenue	2.35	8.55	8.20	[illegible]
" Englewood	2.55	9.15	8.40	[illegible]
" Hammond	3.25	9.45	9.15	6.40
" Crown Point	.....	10.19	9.43	7.25
" Kouts	.....	11.01	.....	8.23
" North Judson	.....	11.31	*10.35	9.00
" Rochester	5.40	12.35‡	11.56	
" Akron	.....	1.01	*12.10§	
" Newton	6.16	1.25	12.37	No. 18
" Bolivar	.....	1.38	.....	
" Huntington	6.55	2.25	1.15	6.00§
" Kingsland	.....	3.05	.....	*6.50
" Decatur	7.45	3.33	[illegible]	7.35
" Enterprise	.....	4.10	2.40	8.30
" Spencerville	.....	4.44	3.05	9.10
" Lima	8.55	5.12	3.28	9.45
" Preston	.....	5.45	.....	*10.20
" Kenton	9.43	6.16	4.15	10.55
Ar. Marion	10.30	7.15	5.00	12.01‡
" New York	11.07		7.57	
" Boston	6.15§		12.40‡	

WESTWARD.

	No. 1.	No. 3.	No. 5.	No. 17.
Lv. Marion	8.0§	11.20‡	3.15‡	3.30‡
" Kenton	8.50	12.10§	[illegible]	4.45
" Preston	9.17	.....	.....	*5.25
" Lima	9.45	1.05	[illegible]	6.15
" Spencerville	10.11	[illegible]	[illegible]	6.55
" Enterprise	10.45	[illegible]	[illegible]	7.40
" Decatur	11.26	[illegible]	[illegible]	8.40
" Kingsland	11.58	[illegible]	.....	9.20
" Huntington	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	10.30
" Bolivar	1 12	[illegible]	.....	
" Newton	1 45	[illegible]	.22	
" Akron	2.14	...	[illegible]	No. 15
" Rochester	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	
" North Judson	3.51	..	[illegible]	6 50§
" Kouts	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	7.22
" Crown Point	5.10	[illegible]	.....	8.12
" Hammond	6.15	7 25	10 25	8 50
" Englewood	6 50	[illegible]	[illegible]	9.20
" Archer Avenue	7.00	[illegible]	[illegible]	9 40
Ar. Chicago	7 10	[illegible]	11.25	9.50
Lv. New York		[illegible]	5 00	
" Boston		[illegible]	[illegible]	

Nos. 8, 1, 10, 3, 5 and 15 daily. Where time is not shown trains do not stop. Nos. 17 and 18 daily except Sunday. * stop on signal. ‡ p.m. § a.m.

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TIME CARD.

Taking Effect Nov. 25 h, 1888

[Central Time.]

NORTH BOUND.

River Division.	No. 3, daily except Sunday.	No. 7, mixed, daily except Sun
Leave Pomeroy	[illegible] p m	5.00 a m
" Gallipolis	[illegible] p m	6.45 a m
" McArthur Junct.	[illegible] p m	9.49 p m

Hocking Valley Division.	No. 1, daily	No. 3, daily
Leave Athens	7.00 a m	6.05 p m
" Logan	8.15 a m	7 20 p m
" Lancaster	8.58 a m	8.08 p m
Arrive Columbus	10.15 a m	9.25 p m

Toledo Division.	No. 1, daily	No. 3, daily
Leave Columbus	4.00 p m	7.00 a m
" Delaware	4.55 p m	7.53 a m
" Prospect	5.20 p m	8.17 a m
" MARION	5.41 p m	8.57 a m
" Upper Sandusky	6.35 p m	9.15 a m
" Carey	6.55 p m	9.35 a m
" Fostoria	7.25 p m	10.05 a m
Arrive Toledo	8.40 p m	11.25 a m

SOUTH BOUND.

Toledo Division.	No. 2, daily	No. 4, daily
Leave Toledo	7.00 a m	5.30 p m
" Fostoria	8.23 a m	6.53 p m
" Carey	8.55 a m	7.24 p m
" Upper Sandusky	9.15 a m	8.00 p m
" MARION	9.53 a m	8.40 p m
" Prospect	10.13 a m	9.00 p m
" Delaware	10.37 a m	9.24 p m
Arrive Columbus	11.30 a m	10.20 p m

Hocking Valley Division.	No. 4, daily	No. 2, daily
Leave Columbus	8.00 a m	4.00 p m
" Lancaster	9.18 a m	5.23 p m
" Logan	10.08 a m	6.20 p m
Arrive Athens	11.15 a m	7.30 p m

River Division.	No. 4, daily except Sunday.	No. 10, mixed, daily except Sun
Leave McArthur Junct.	12.05 p m	8.30 a m
" Gallipolis	1 41 p m	11.41 p m
Arrive Pomeroy	2.22 p m	1.15 a m

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WESTWARD.	DEPART.
No. 7, daily except Sunday	10 50 a.m.
No. 5, daily	2 55 p.m.
No. 47, Way, daily except Sunday	9 20 a.m.
No. 3, daily	11.05 p.m.

EASTWARD.	DEPART.
No. 12, daily	5:20 a.m.
No. 6, daily except Sunday	12.05 p.m.
No. 38, daily except Sunday	2.55 p.m.
No. 8, daily	10:45 p.m.

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STAR OFFICE TELEPHONE NUMBER 51.

—Buy your bread at Rupp's.

—J. W. Hinds & Co. for wall paper.

—Tom Mack has gone to Knox county on a week's business trip.

—G. Sells will open a butcher shop in the Wixted building at an early date.

—Strawberries tomorrow.
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Jerseys for 25c, former price 75c.
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—Miss Clara Schuster, of San Francisco, Cal., is the guest of John Stose and family, on south West street.

—Bargains in all kinds of Hosiery and underwear, a nice line to select from
147 tf FRASH'S DRY GOODS HOUSE.

—After hearing the report of the grand jury Judge Norris adjourned court until next Monday, on account of the illness of his son, Prosser.

—Mrs. Sharr is building a large new dwelling on Mark street, between Main and East. J. E. Bryan is also building on Mark street, back of his own residence.

—J. C. Nebergall, of Delaware, was in the city a few hours on Monday shaking hands with his many friends and accepting congratulations on his recent marriage.

—J. H. Richards, foreman of the Huber boiler shops, was celebrating his fortieth birthday today, and liberally passed around the cigars among the boys and his friends.

—George Watkins can give a genius a pointer on beating the "pigs in clover" puzzle. George has a pony that gets into his garden and a half dozen persons can't drive him out without an hour's labor.

—Col. James H. Vaughan and wife have returned from a trip to Kansas and the Indian territory. The Colonel refrained from joining the Oklahoma boomers, but is, nevertheless stricken with the inviting country out west.

—Frank Johnston purchased a couple of very fine horses of Wink Harraman at Richwood today. They certainly are as fine a team of carriage horses as are to be seen in the city.

—Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Beucher pleasantly entertained a company of friends Monday evening, at their home on south West street, in honor of Will Shogar, of Lebanon, Pa., who is visiting in this city. An excellent time is reported.

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FOR SALE—S. A. Court's lot on west side of Boulevard, near Center street; only $100, worth $600.

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—W. S. Frash was at Cleveland, Monday, on a short business trip.

—Bauer's grocery is headquarters for choice bananas in any quantity. [116-tf

—Miss Maud Doty is on a few days' visit with friends and relatives in Urbana.

—Buy your wall paper at Hinds & Co.'s opposite the court house on Center street.

—Mrs. D. M. Parmenter, of Medina, O., is visiting friends and relatives in this city.

—J. S. Goodnow, the great wool buyer, is back to Marion, preparing to buy largely this season.

—Ice cream and home made candies every day and every evening, at M. E. Medley & Son's, opposite STAR office.

—The work of grading the vacant lots on West Park boulevard is now going on, and considerable improvement is being made.

—Black Hose for 10c that we guarantee to be perfectly fast black—a bargain.
FRASH'S DRY GOODS HOUSE.

—Miss Carrie Schweinfurth, who has been visiting her brother at Espyville for the past few weeks, returned home today.

—For prices on dentistry go to Dr. Throckmorton, in the Fite block, east stairs. The old reliable dentist will give you prices that will suit all who may call. 116 tf

—The C. and A. sink hole, which has attracted so much attention, is now being properly cleaned out, which will rid the city of what was certain to be a breeder of disease.

—Thomas J. Anderson, of Grand township, and E. Hoch, of Big Island township, have been appointed to fill the vacancies in the Board of Managers of the Agricultural society.

—D. R. Crissinger cast his line into the waters of the Whetstone today, indulging in the pleasure of luring some unfortunate fish out of existence. Dick's friends will doubtless call on him this evening to listen to the many attractive stories that he will be able to tell.

—Two of the children of Isaac Winteringham are seriously ill with scarlet fever. Mr. Winteringham works for Tristram & Young, and, for the safety of their customers, they have temporarily laid him off from work, so there can be no possible contagion from that source.

—An exciting and very interesting game of base ball took place Saturday last between a local club known as the Little Buckeyes and the Normal Nine. The players of both side were clever and displayed considerable merit, but the Normal Nine were downed by a score of twenty four to twelve.

Jim Bishop, employed by Henry Riser as line man in his telepone business, met with a very painful accident this morning while doing some work at the exchange. In some manner his coat caught fire from a bucket of hot solder which he was using and during his efforts to extinguish it one of his hands was frightfully burned.

A. P. Henderson, who has been quite dangerously ill for some time past, died at his home on north East street, this morning, at 6 o'clock. His death resulted from stomach trouble. Mr. Henderson was Marion's most prosperous and most highly esteemed colored citizen. He had reached the advanced age of 67 years. The obsequies will occur tomorrow at 2 o'clock, at the A. M. E. church, on Park street.

—H. Porter & Son is the firm name of Marion Steam Dye Works. Their office is located in Fite block up stairs, where they will be found at all times, ready to do all work intrusted to their care, and you may rest assured that what they do will be done in a proper manner. They come highly recommended in fact verbal or written recommendations are not necessary as their work proves their ability. Read their ad in this issue.

We learn that the man Smith, who so mysteriously disappeared some time ago while in charge of the Central Oil company's business at this place, has been heard from, he having addressed a letter to the oil company from his present residence in Omaha, Neb., and returned its money that he had taken with him. It is said that he threatens prosecution in cases of statements made against him. Perhaps some injustice may have been done him, but his wife's statements were sufficient to excite the comment which followed his departure.

—A boy aged about 15 years, put in an appearance at the Kerr House today, and applied for something to eat, stating that he had eaten nothing since Monday morning. He told a pitiful tale of being driven away from his home at Owen, by a cruel stepfather. His condition excited considerable sympathy from the bystanders, who kindly raised enough money to keep him until he succeeded in gaining work, which no doubt he will soon find as he is bright, intelligent and well dressed, which shows him to be above the ordinary run of bums. Such cases are of no uncommon occurrence, but excite sympathy.

—This warm weather will make you think of shedding your winter garments. We want to jog your memory that we have a full line of straw goods for men and boys, which we are handing out for less money than they cost at the factory. Summer underwear in abundance. Socks, shirts, collars and cuffs and everything worn by gentlemen at 25 per cent. less than former prices. Leave your measure for a suit of clothes or a pair of our all wool $4 and $5 pants. Remember the special sale days of the Turney stock. We have the finest and best of that stock on hand yet. Call soon.
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The horsemen find the fair grounds an interesting place now, since A. T. Tallman again controls the place during the summer and has his school of training again in operation. About a dozen well-bred and promising speeders are under his care, some of whom are deserving of mention.

F. O. Batch is a brown stallion, belonging to Mr. Tallman. He has a trotting record of 2:40 and has made trial trots in 2.29.

B. P. Hord's brown mare, Scioto Girl, is the speediest animal on the ground. She has paced in 2.29¼ under record, and can show a trial mile in 2.21.

Nettie Hall is a young bay mare belonging to B. Hall. She is new to the track, but paces well and is regarded a very promising pacer.

Scioto Sam is a pacing sorrel gelding, owned by Joseph Johnson. He is new to the track but can show a trial mile in 2:46.

Bessie Blue Bull, a brown mare, belongs to A. B. Stouffer, of Ada. She is green yet, but very promising, and has already shown a trial in 2:50.

Maginnis, a son of Egbert, is a pretty bay stallion, belonging to Hank Harvey. He has not been timed, but is a speedy, promising young horse.

Harry T. is a pretty brown gelding, owned by J. H. Thomas. He has only been handled fifteen days, yet he has trotted a trial mile in 2:37.

Harry Young's Belmont Hamlet and Erie Abdallah, standard bred filly is under Mr. Tallman's care but has not yet been tracked. Sid Young's filly, by Jersey Wilkes, is also there, but not yet tracked on time. They are both well-bred and promising animals.

Church of Christ.

A good audience greeted the evangelists at the Church of Christ last night. The sermon by Mr. Updike, on "How easy to convert an honest man," was eagerly listened to and enjoyed and at the close one man made the good confession and was baptized the same hour of the night.

All the indications are for a good work and it is to be hoped that Marion will be aroused to a sense of its need of the gospel. The services will continue each evening this week at 7:30 sharp. Every one is made welcome and the evangelists wants each person to bring his Bible along.

The subject tonight will be "The divinity of Christ from a human standpoint." Go early and enjoy the full service.

Subject Wednesday evening—"The fulfillment of prophecy respecting Christ.

Marion Steam Dye Works Now Opened for Business.

H. Porter & Son, practical dyers and cleaners, have opened a Steam Dye Works on east Center street, where they are prepared to clean, dye and repair any description of garments for ladies and gentlemen, from the coarsest woolen fabrics to the finest silks. Ladies' shawls, dresses, cloaks, ribbons, laces and kid gloves; making a specialty of cleaning, dyeing and repairing gentlemen's clothing, etc. All work finished by steam and given the appearance of new goods. We guarantee to give satisfaction. Office in Fite block, up stairs, opposite M. E. church, Dye Works, east Center street, opposite Wilson's nursery, Marion, Ohio.

New Cemetery Fence.

The trustees of the Marion Cemetery association have contracted with the Champion Iron Fence company, of Kenton, for 1117 feet of fence on the Delaware pike front of Marion cemetery, paying therefore the sum of $2000. The fence includes a handsome entrance place of iron—nineteen feet high and twenty eight feet wide. The work is to be completed by July 1st, and will be an admirable improvement to Marion cemetery.

The Grand Jury Findings.

The grand jury had but little work for this term of court, having but four transcripts for examination.

Three indictments were found. One of these was against Peter Napper, for raping the thirteen-year-old daughter of Samuel Johnson, a life-sentence offense. Two indictments were found against one person, which are not published owing to his not being under arrest.

Warning!

The two fields south of the Mt. Vernon road, between Ulch street and the lands of Mr. Wilson Peters, are rented for pasture and meadow and not for ball grounds. All persons are warned to keep off said grounds with games of ball, as I shall try hard to obtain names of trespassers and make it unpleasant for them. S. E. DEWOLFE.

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Twenty acres within 3 squares of new Huber shops, suitable for town lots. Only $400 per acre. Regular sized ¼ acre lots can be sold at $150 each—easily worth $300 each. Time no object. See Bright Durfee. Office with Scofield & Scofield. [146-w1

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Bowling Green.

Pleasant Trumbo is erecting a fine house on his mother's farm, just across the road from the barn.

Our township is continually troubled with fruit canvassers, who are still selling some fruit.

Quite a number of our farmers were at LaRue last Saturday afternoon, having their plows sharpened and farming utensils made ready for work.

Mr. J. B. Arnold, a school teacher three miles south of Broadway, Union county, was the guest of Mr. Frederick last Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Lewis Lattell, of LaRue, was in this township last Friday on business.

Messrs. J. H. Siffrit and G. S. Clark have built quite a lot of board fence this spring which adds to the appearance of their places.

Nearly all our farmers have been in their orchards and have done lots of pruning.

Quite a number of farmers have potatoes for sale this spring, but will not accept the market price. Fine varieties are selling at twenty cents per bushel, and not quick sales then.

Mr. H. L. Short sold a fine horse to Jas. Patrick last Friday.

A. F. Saget is preparing to build a fine house where the old one stands.

Miss Minta Jones is well liked as a school teacher in the Bell school.

Arbor day was not regarded as it should be in this locality.

Why can't we scare up a teachers' institute in this township. I know of nearly forty legally qualified school teachers that could attend, and it is their duty to see and hear other teachers and their methods of teaching before they are liberal and wide enough in their views to be successful teachers. Some one take the start and announce a meeting. We will all be with you.

H. S. Short attended the teachers' examination at Marion the 20th inst. He is one of our successful teachers and likely will come out all o. k.

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Sheep shearing has been introduced and three and one-half cents per head is the price paid for shearing.

John D. Thomasson, who has about 500 bushels of seed onions for sale, has his hot beds in order again and has sold about 500 dozen of cabbage plants. He has quite a variety of plants for sale, such as tomato, all kinds of cabbage and sweet potato.

Several of our young folks attended the commencement exercises of the LaRue school last Thursday evening, in opera hall.

The Sabbath school in the Bowling Green church is talking of having a children's day sometime in May. The time is not set yet.

The Bowling Green Sunday school is trying to raise funds to buy an organ. About $50 has been subscribed and will likely have a concert soon to raise the rest. All organ dealers are respectfully requested to make an appearance with an organ, leaving his terms to the purchasing committee and wait the result.

We have a flourishing Sunday school and will surpass any adjoining school this summer.

Winter wheat looks well, except a little thin on the ground in places.

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A Heavy Family.

A family which claims the honor of being the heaviest in Kennebec county is that of William Merrill, of Gardiner. Mr. Merrill himself weighs 303, Mrs. Merrill, 264; the eldest daughter, 300; a younger daughter, 260, and the only son, 215—a total fortune of 1,312 pounds—to say nothing of shillings and pence. Lucky Merrill!—Lewiston (Me.) Journal.

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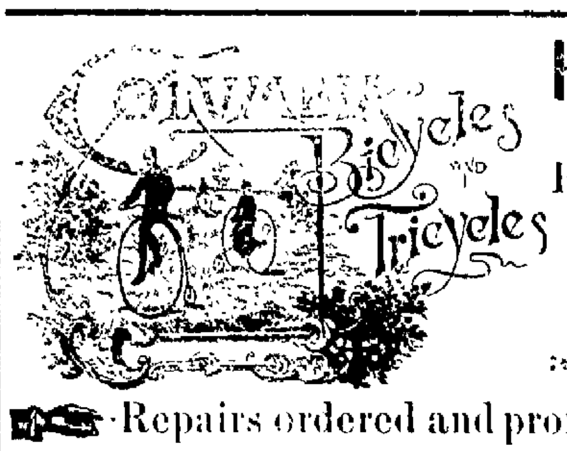

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